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1. A method of inhibiting transport of anandamide in an individual or animal comprising administering to the individual or animal a therapeutically effective amount of a compound represented by the following structural formula:

and physiologically acceptable salts thereof, wherein:

X is a member selected from the group consisting of a hydrophobic aliphatic hydrocarbon chain containing from about 4 to about 30 carbon atoms and having one or more nonconjugated cis double bonds in the middle portion of the chain with a terminal radical selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, aryl and aryl substituted with a member selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, halogen, -NO₂, -NH₂, -CH₃, -OCH₃ and -SCH₃, or biphenyl or biphenyl having a terminal straight or branched alky group of about 1 to about 10 carbon atoms;

Y is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, -NH-C(O)-, -NH-, -NH-C(O)-NH-, -NH-C(O)O-, -C(O)-NH-, -O-C(O)-, -O- and -S-; and Z is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, aryl, alkyl aryl, halogen substituted alkyl aryl, cyclic glycerols and substituted cyclic glycerols.

- 2. The method of claim 1 wherein the radicals on the substituted cyclic glycerol are selected from the group consisting of lower alkyl of about 1 to about 5 carbon atoms, aryl and substituted aryl.
- 3. The method of claim 1 wherein Y is a carbonyl amine radical.
- 4. The method of claim 1 wherein X is a biphenyl having a terminal30 alkyl group.

- 5. The method of claim 1 wherein X is an aliphatic hydrocarbon chain having two or more nonconjugated double bonds.
- 6. The method of claim 1 wherein X is an aliphatic hydrocarbon chain having at least four nonconjugated double bonds.
 - 7. The method of claim 1 wherein Z is a hydroxy substituted aryl group.
 - 8. A compound represented by the following structural formula:

X - Y - Z

and physiologically acceptable salts thereof, wherein:

X is a member selected from the group consisting of a hydrophobic aliphatic hydrocarbon chain containing from about 4 to about 30 carbon atoms and having one or more nonconjugated cis double bonds in the middle portion of the chain with a terminal radical selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, aryl and aryl substituted with a member selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, halogen, -NO₂, -NH₂, -CH₃, -OCH₃ and -SCH₃, or biphenyl or biphenyl having a terminal straight or branched alky group of about 1 to about 10 carbon atoms;

Y is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, -NH-C(O)-, -NH-, -NH-C(O)-NH-, -NH-Q(O)O-, -C(O)-NH-, -O-C(O)-, -O- and -S-; and

Z is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, aryl, alkyl aryl, halogen substituted alkyl aryl, cyclic glycerols and substituted cyclic glycerols.

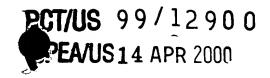
9. The compound of claim 8 wherein the radicals on the substituted cyclic glycerol are selected from the group consisting of lower alkyl of about 1 to about 5 carbon atoms, aryl and substituted aryl

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- 10. The compound of claim 8 wherein Y is a carbonyl amine radical.
- 11. The compound of claim 8 wherein X is a biphenyl having a terminal alkyl group.
 - 12. The compound of claim 8 wherein X is an aliphatic hydrocarbon chain having two or more nonconjugated double bonds.
- 13. The compound of claim 8 wherein X is an aliphatic hydrocarbon chain having at least four nonconjugated double bonds.
 - 14. The compound of claim 8 wherein Z is a hydroxy substituted aryl group.